

AN ACT concerning public aid.

**Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,
represented in the General Assembly:**

Section 5. The Illinois Public Aid Code is amended by changing Section 4-1.6b as follows:

(305 ILCS 5/4-1.6b)

Sec. 4-1.6b. Date for providing aid; employability assessment.

(a) The Department shall provide financial aid no more than 45 ~~30~~ days after the date of application.

(b) During the first 45 ~~30~~ days after the date of application, the applicant shall undergo a thorough employability assessment, in accordance with subsection (d) of Section 9A-8 of this Code, and shall prepare a personal plan for achieving employment and self-sufficiency in accordance with Section 4-1 of this Code. The requirement to engage in work-related activity may commence 30 days after the date of application.

(c) Financial aid under this Article shall be authorized effective 30 days after ~~on~~ the date of application, provided that the applicant is eligible on that date.

(Source: P.A. 96-866, eff. 7-1-10.)

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Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect July 1, 2012.